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10 December 1969

SUBJECT: Release of Domestic U-2 Photography

TO: Headquarters, USAF
(AFNICAD)
Washington, D. C. 20330
ATTN: Colonel Davidson

1. Reference DIA letter, subject: Release of Domestic Photography (U), dated 10 November 1969, C-2566/MC-2.

2. On 5 December the undersigned conferred with the Chairman and CIA Member of the SDWG with reference to classification and release of domestic U-2 photography to other Government agencies and private individuals.

3. During an earlier discussion with the same individuals the question of classification of domestic photography taken with the IRIS camera was discussed and even though the IRIS was being used it was determined that the classification would be FOR OFFICIAL USE ONLY. This would allow any of the Federal Government agencies to borrow the film and use it for official purposes.

4. With regard to guidance concerning the sale of domestic U-2 photography to state governments and private individuals, it was determined that if the film was either enlarged or reduced and sanitized by removing all fiducial markings and reference to altitude or speed and type of platform and camera used, that the photography could be sold to either state governments or private individuals in accordance with the pertinent Air Force regulations.

SIGNED

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Lt Col, USAF
DIA Member, SDWG

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DIA review(s) completed.

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